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van Ostade et al.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office communication mailed March 22, 2002, please amend the referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 12, 13, and 20 without prejudice or disclaimer, and add the following new claims: